

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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Knight First Amendment Institute at  
Columbia University

Plaintiff(s)

- v -

**RULE 7.1 STATEMENT**

U.S. Department of State

Defendant(s)

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1:23-cv-02513

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Case Number

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 7.1, the undersigned counsel for

**Knight First Amendment Institute at Columbia University**

(a private non-governmental party or intervenor) certifies the following:

**Part I**

Complete this portion in all cases.

Identify any corporate affiliates, subsidiaries, and/or parent corporation and any publicly held corporation owning 10% or more of the stock of any non-governmental corporate party or intervenor. If there are no such corporations, the form shall so state.

The Knight First Amendment Institute at Columbia University has no parent corporations and that no publicly held corporation owns 10 percent or more of its stock. The Knight Institute is a non-profit, non-partisan organization governed by a nine-member board of directors, five of whom are associated with Columbia University.

## Part II

Complete this portion only if jurisdiction is based on diversity of citizenship under 28 U.S.C. § 1332(a).

Name and identify the citizenship of every individual or entity whose citizenship is attributed to that party or intervenor for purposes of establishing jurisdiction based upon diversity of citizenship (note: the citizenship of an L.L.C. is the citizenship of each of its members).

3/24/23

Date

/s/ Alex Abdo

Signature of Attorney

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Attorney Bar Code

Note – This form is required to be filed when the action is filed in, or removed to, federal court, and when any later event occurs that could affect the court’s jurisdiction under 28 U.S.C. § 1332(a).

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